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The first bale of this year's cotton  
for this State was sold last Tuesday  
and brought 19 cents per pound. It  
was raised by Leroy W. Youmans,  
at Aliandale.

Speaker Reed made up his com-  
mittees and then jumped for a  
train, on the strategic principle of  
the bad boy who fires a stone and  
then gets around the corner before  
the police can reach the scene,  
says the Philadelphia Record

When a boy walks with a girl  
as though he were afraid someone  
would see him, the girl is his sis-  
ter. If he walks so close to her as  
to nearly crowd her against the  
fence, she is the sister of some one  
else.

The story comes from Klondike,  
Alaska that one man with a frying  
pan panned out \$40,000 worth of  
gold from a forty foot square lot.  
The rush to the gold fields of  
Alaska reminds one of the discov-  
ery of the California gold mines of  
the fifties.

Mr. Charles M. Bristow, Judge  
of Probate of Florence county,  
died last Thursday. As his un-  
expired term exceeds one year,  
the Governor will order an elec-  
tion held to fill out the term. Mr.  
Bristow was a lawyer and was  
only 27 years old, and unmarried.

The Charleston News and  
Courier has offered some good ad-  
to the newspapers. It refers to  
the amount of free advertisement  
of public men, public institutions  
and public affairs in general. The  
Columbia State follows it up, and  
mentions the growing tendency  
of dead-beating the newspapers.  
Unquestionably a great many  
things are pushed on a newspa-  
per as news, which should really  
appear as advertisements and be  
paid for. Every newspaper office  
has had experience in this.

The Senatorial race is still  
dragging along without any as-  
tonishing features. Mr. Mayfield  
has made some very ugly charges  
against Governor Ellerbe, but  
they have been pronounced false  
by Mr. Ellerbe, and no further  
notice has been taken of them.  
Mr. Irby every day relates his  
"fatherhood" story, and that,  
too, is beginning to get weary-  
some. Evans has gone so far in  
his "tariff for revenue only" po-  
sition as to be classed along with  
Puffer, and Mrs. Lease, as a Pop-  
ulist by some. Duncan has only  
attended one meeting so far, and  
it is claimed by some that he will  
shortly withdraw from the race.  
McLaurin is still explaining his  
tariff views, and, if the newspaper  
reports count for anything, is  
making numerous friends. There  
seems to us no doubt that he is  
away ahead of any of the other  
candidates, and the indications  
are that he will go in on the first  
ballot. G. Walt Whitman claims  
to be in the race, but the proba-  
bilities are that the Democratic  
Executive Committee will over-  
rule his protest. Even should the  
Committee decide in his favor, it  
is doubtful if Mr. Whitman  
would even then be "in" the race  
at all.

## Why take Johnson's Chill & Fever Tonic? Because it cures the most stubborn case of Fever in ONE DAY.

### SCENES IN GREECE.

The Idle Peasant, the Omnipresent Dog  
and the Village Inn.

Greece is not all Athens, and the  
peasant in the country village is a  
very interesting person. What you  
note about him most is that he does  
nothing. Day after day have we  
walked over the country and found  
him standing or sitting about idle.  
This used to be a surprise, but we  
were always told that it was a holi-  
day. It always is a holiday on a  
saint's day, and there are many  
saints' days in the Greek calendar.  
How the land gets cultivated at all  
is a marvel, but it does somehow.

There are no inclosures, or very  
few. You are walking along inno-  
cently and suddenly find yourself  
striding over vine furrows. At  
first you think you are trespass-  
ing and try to go around, but a  
little experience makes you bold,  
and you find that you are doing  
quite the right thing. You may be  
attacked by a dog, but that is not  
because you are off the path, but  
because you are a human being.

The Greek dog is a marvelous  
beast. We have vivid recollections  
of him. His one principle is that  
man is his natural foe, and he  
takes every opportunity of putting  
his principle into practice. He gen-  
erally appears from nowhere and  
makes for you. You must get rid  
of him quickly or he will call to his  
aid brethren seven times worse than  
himself and get rid of you. You  
generally begin by shying stones.  
These are always at hand in Greece.  
Providence, I suppose, never gives  
an evil without a corresponding an-  
tidote. This may drive him off if  
he is alone and not very bold. If it  
doesn't, you must adopt more vigor-  
ous measures. Don't shoot him, be-  
cause there is a superstition that he  
has an owner, and that owner will  
probably turn up at the critical mo-  
ment and shoot you. But you may  
stab him if you happen to be carry-  
ing a large enough knife and have  
the skill to use it, or you may brain  
him with your walking stick if it  
be heavy enough. If these fail,  
there is said to be one remedy left.  
You may sit still, and he, too, will  
sit still and look at you. This is  
said to be infallible, but we never  
had the courage to try it. It is no  
doubt an extremely comfortable  
feeling to be seated in the center of  
a circle of canine admirers, but it  
would be apt to pall after a time,  
and Greece is not so thickly popu-  
lated that you can depend on a res-  
cue arriving within an hour, or a  
day either.

If you pass through the perils of  
the way and reach the village in  
safety, you will, of course, go to  
the inn, cafe, what you will. Here  
are all the men of the place, talk-  
ing, laughing, driving away cares  
which never come to them. The  
prevailing costume is the long, gray  
cloak of the shepherd, the most pic-  
turesque garment in Greece. These  
men will stare at you perhaps a lit-  
tle, but they will make you wel-  
come. They will all talk to you in  
their own tongue, and you will an-  
swer in yours. It does not matter a  
bit that neither understands the  
other. Both parties will be equally  
pleased. We remember once meet-  
ing an old shepherd on the slopes of  
Hymettus. He stopped and entered  
into a long conversation. What it  
was about we do not know, but he  
seemed well pleased, and after  
about 20 minutes we wished him  
good night in the only words of his  
language that we knew. You will  
probably meet the village priest too.  
He is only a peasant like the rest,  
but he is recognized as a su-  
perior being on Sundays. Then if  
you are thirsty you drink krasí, the  
wine of the country, very mild and  
very like sealing wax. At first you  
will hate it, but after you have got  
accustomed to it you will prefer it  
to champagne, or you may drink  
"mastich" if you merely want to  
be sociable. If you are wise, you  
will eat bread and honey, real Hy-  
mettus honey, which the whole  
world cannot beat. And then you  
will get up and go home, feeling  
that there is no one you have met  
like the Greek peasant.—Pall Mall  
Gazette.

**Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment**  
Is unequalled for Eczema, Tetter, Salt-  
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Hands, Itching Piles, Burns, Frost Bites,  
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For sale by druggists at 25 cents per box.

### TO HORSE OWNERS.

For putting a horse in a fine healthy  
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They tone up the system, aid digestion, cure  
loss of appetite, relieve constipation, correct  
kidney disorders and destroy worms, giving  
new life to an old or over-worked horse. 25  
cents per package. For sale by druggists.

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metal on hand for sale at 10 cents  
per pound.

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pleasant remedy for all affections  
of the stomach and bowels. For  
all forms of diarrhea it is unsur-  
passed. It cures cholera infantum.  
Relieves instantly dyspepsia as it  
acts directly on the weak tissues  
of the stomach, thereby strength-  
ening the digestive organs. Price  
25 and 50c. Sold by all druggist.

"You told me this horse  
had won half a dozen  
matches against some of the  
best horses in the country. He  
can't trot a mile in six minutes to  
save him." "It was in plowing  
matches that he took the prizes,  
sir."

**Johnson's Chill and Fe-  
ver Tonic is a ONE-DAY  
Cure. It cures the most  
stubborn case of Fever in  
24 Hours.**

"Hello," exclaimed Tommy,  
"there goes one of them horseless  
carriages!" "Where?" shouted  
Aunt Maria, rushing to the win-  
dow. Why, right 'cross the way,  
aunt. Don't you see that it is  
drawn by mules."



### Do You Use It?

It's the best thing for the  
hair under all circumstances.  
Just as no man by taking  
thought can add an inch to  
his stature, so no preparation  
can make hair. The utmost  
that can be done is to pro-  
mote conditions favorable to  
growth. This is done by  
Ayer's Hair Vigor. It re-  
moves dandruff, cleanses the  
scalp, nourishes the soil in  
which the hair grows, and,  
just as a desert will blossom  
under rain, so bald heads grow  
hair, when the roots are nour-  
ished. But the roots must be  
there. If you wish your hair  
to retain its normal color, or  
if you wish to restore the lost  
tint of gray or faded hair use  
**Ayer's Hair Vigor.**

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

I hereby announce myself a can-  
didate for congress from Sixth  
District, subject to the action of the  
Democratic party.

D. W. McLAURIN.

I hereby announce myself a can-  
didate for Congress from the  
Sixth Congressional District of  
South Carolina, fill out the unex-  
pired term of Hon. John L. Mc-  
Laurin, subject to the rules of the  
Democratic party.

JAMES NORTON.

I hereby announce myself a can-  
didate for the unexpired term in  
Congress from the Sixth District,  
subject to the Democratic primary

J. E. ELLERBE.

I hereby announce myself a  
candidate for Congress from the  
Sixth Congressional District of  
South Carolina, subject to the rules  
of the Democratic Party.

FERD D. BRYANT.

**ENCOURAGED BY MANY**  
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my candidacy, subject to the rules  
of the Democratic party, for the  
Sixth District, recently left vacant by the  
appointment of Hon. John L. Mc-  
Laurin to the United States Senate.

J. M. JOHNSON.

### Bridge Notice.

THE Supervisors of Williamsburg  
and Georgetown counties will meet  
at Mingo bridge on the 6th day of  
August next at 11 a. m. to let con-  
tract to repair said bridge. Specifi-  
cations can be seen on day of  
meeting.

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Hair Renewer.

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A 6-year-old was seated in a  
barber's chair. "Well, my little  
man, how would you like your  
hair cut?" "Oh, like papa's, with  
a little round hole at the top."

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Watts—My p's or i sists that  
the bicycle is an invention of the  
devil. Potts—Well, it is mighty  
hard to keep in the straight and  
narrow path on one of them.

**Johnson's Chill and Fe-  
ver Tonic is a ONE-DAY  
Cure. It cures the most  
stubborn case of Fever in  
24 Hours.**

My wife is a most original wo-  
man," said Brown. "Why, when  
I proposed to her, instead of say-  
ing, 'This is so sudden,' she said,  
'Well, I think it's about time.'"

### Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most won-  
derful medical discovery of the age, pre-  
sents and refreshing to the taste, not gently  
and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels,  
cleansing the entire system, dispels colds,  
cure headache, fever, habitual constipation  
and biliousness. Please buy and try a box  
of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and  
guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

Mrs. Watts—You must find this  
out of door life rather pleasant.  
Weary Watkins—Oh, the out of  
door part of it is all right. It is  
the out of grub end of it I don't  
like.

### How To Find Out.

Fill a bottle or common glass  
with urine and let it stand twenty-  
four hours; a sediment or settling  
indicates an unhealthy condition  
of the kidneys. When urine stains  
linen it is positive evidence of kid-  
ney trouble. Too frequent desire  
to urinate or pain in the back, is  
also convincing proof that the kid-  
neys and bladder are out of order.

### WHAT TO DO.

There is comfort in the knowl-  
edge so often expressed, that Dr.  
Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great  
kidney remedy fulfills every wish  
in relieving pain in the back kid-  
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part of the urinary passager. It  
corrects inability to hold urine  
and scalding pain in passing it, or  
bad effects following use of liquor,  
wine or beer, and overcomes that  
unpleasant necessity of being com-  
pelled to get up many times dur-  
ing the night to urinate. The  
mild and the extraordinary effect  
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derful cures of the most distress-  
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